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Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 02508.0089

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	Application of:)
Antonio BOSETTO et al.) Group Art Unit: 1723
Application No.: 09/869,712) Examiner: S. Kim
Filed:	October 9, 2001))
For:	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PREPARING A MEDICAL FLUID	<i>)</i>))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of June 19, 2003. A fee payment of \$110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: October 20, 2003

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